



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No.:

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Applicant:

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Title:

IN-VEHICLE ELECTRONIC DEVICE, THERMAL

FLOWMETER AND ELECTRONIC CIRCUIT BOARD

TC/AU:

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Examiner:

A.S. Bhat

Customer No.:

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed, the Applicants respond to the Restriction Requirement by electing the invention of Group III, claim 17, drawn to an electronic circuit board, classified in class 361, subclass 720. Claims 17-22 are readable thereon.

If a fee or additional fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee or additional fee that may be required and credit any excess to Deposit Account No. 50-1417 (H&A-129).

Respectfully submitted,

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